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[Inclosure.] Report of vessels inspected at Hongkong, China, March 23, and March 30, 1901.

Date.	Name of vessel.	Destination.	Crew.	Passengers.		_
				Cabin.	Steer- age.	Re- jected.
Mar. 19	Br. str. Doric (a)	San Francisco	140	55	248	1
Mar. 21	Br. str. Loong Sang (a)	Manila	69	17	51	l î
Mar. 23	Ger. str. Albenga (b)	New York	34	Ò	0	0
Mar. 25	Am. str. Nan Shan (c)	Manila	60	1	0	0
Do	Br. str. Yuen Sang $(d)$	Manila via Amoy	70	17		0
Mar. 27	Ger. str. Pronto $(d)$	Iloilo	32	3	2	0
Do			56	18	67	] 1
Mar. 28	Am. str. Pompey (b)	do		0	0	0
Do		San Francisco	176	52	350	1
Mar. 29	Br. str. Queen Adelaide (d)	Tacoma	38	0	12	0
Do	Jap. str. Rosetta Maru $(d)(e)(f)$	Manila	111	40	40	1
Do	Br. str. Sungkiang $(d)$	do	67	19	76	1
Do	Br. str. Kaifong (d)	Cebu	67	5	20	1 0

a Asiatic crew and steerage passengers bathed and effects disinfected by steam. b European crew. c Asiatic crew bathed and textile effects disinfected by steam. d Asiatic crew and steerage passengers bathed and textile effects disinfected by steam. c Japanese crew not allowed ashore during vessel's stay in this port. f Supplemental bill of health.

## COSTA RICA.

## Report from Port Limon—Fruit port.

PORT LIMON, COSTA RICA, April 20, 1901.

SIR: I have the honor to submit my weekly report as follows: On April 14, cleared steam tug C. W. Morse, crew 24, no passengers nor baggage, having in tow the schooner barge Atlas, crew 12, no passengers nor baggage. April 15, cleared steamer Scythian, crew 19, no pas-April 18, steamship Hispania, crew 22, no passengers nor baggage. sengers nor baggage. April 19, steamship Anselm, crew 40, no passengers nor baggage. All bound for the port of New Orleans. I inclose copies of certificates given them. Five deaths have occurred in Port Limon during the week ended April 17, viz, 1 negro infant, cholera infantum; 1 negro adult, female, meningitis; 1 negro adult, male, phthisis pulmonalis; 1 negro infant, tuberculosis; 1 negro adult, male, apoplexy syphilitic.

The case of yellow fever reported by me on April 5 has recovered, and on April 9 the premises, clothing, and bedding were thoroughly disinfected. More than ten days have elapsed since the disinfection and I have not been able to find or hear of any other case of yellow

fever, hence I am giving vessels clean bills of health.

Respectfully,

D. W. GOODMAN,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U.S. M. H.S.

The Surgeon-General,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

## CUBA.

Reports from Cienfuegos, Casilda, and Santa Cruz del Sur.

CIENFUEGOS, CUBA, April 22, 1901.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following report for the district under my command for the week ended April 20, 1901: Fifteen deaths have occurred in this city; no contagious diseases reported; death rate 19.55. Causes of deaths are as follows: Uramia, 2; tuberculosis, 2;